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Stone Pillar Technologies announces Silicon Insight™ release Version 2.0

Enhanced features provide additional capabilities for technology development and integration

San Jose, California -- November 12, 2002: Stone Pillar Technologies Inc., the leading provider of software solutions for semiconductor technology development, today announces the release of version 2.0 of Silicon Insight. Version 2.0 provides augmented capabilities in support of technology development and integration.

“Rapid technology development requires rapid intuitive data access”, said Lloyd Evans, Vice President of Product Development for Stone Pillar. “Silicon Insight provides fast easy data analysis capabilities that help squeeze maximum value from costly experimental split lots.”

Highlights of the new release include a set of application tools tailored to semiconductor process and circuit development and maintenance which enable automation and optimization of common tasks and provide unique functionality to improve engineering efficiency.

Silicon Insight reduces the requirement for experimental split lots by making information about experiments available and transparent across an organization.

For pricing or additional details, visit www.stonepillar.com or contact Stone Pillar Technologies.

About Silicon Insight

Silicon Insight is a complete toolkit for semiconductor technology development. Silicon Insight includes intelligent, automated capabilities for design rule creation, documentation, and verification, test chip development, documentation, and revision, and complete data management for semiconductor technology development and monitoring.

Silicon Insight offers a set of application tools tailored to semiconductor process and circuit development and maintenance which enable automation and optimization of common tasks and provide unique functionality to improve engineering efficiency.

All Stone Pillar products are Java based and can be deployed on virtually any hardware supporting the Java Virtual Machine.

About Stone Pillar Technologies, Inc.

Stone Pillar Technologies, founded in 1998, is the leading provider of complete data management systems for semiconductor process technology development. Silicon Insight reduces the requirement for experimental split lots by making information about experiments available and transparent across an organization.

Stone Pillar software tools enable engineers engaged in the integration, characterization, and testing of analog and mixed-signal semiconductor processes to focus on analysis, rather than tedious and error-prone tasks of gathering and formatting data.

Stone Pillar software is in use by leading semiconductor vendors and at leading research institutions worldwide.

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